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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant

: DREYER et al.

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Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.136 (a) REQUEST TO CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT

Sir:

The Office Action dated March 3, 2004 provided for a shortened statutory period for response of three months.

The shortened statutory period expired June 3, 2004.

Since the attached response is being filed within the first month pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) Examiner is respectfully requested to charge attorney's deposit account the appropriate petition fee of \$110.00 (fee code 1251).

> Respectfully submitted for Applicant(s),

By:

Reg. No.: 31,903

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McGLEW AND TUTTLE, P.C.

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